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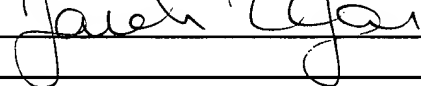
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- [x] Transmittal Letter (this form, 2 pages, in duplicate), Total Pages: 4;
- [x] Petition for Two Month Extension of Time (2 pages, in duplicate), Total Pages: 4;
- [x] Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal, Total pages: 1;
- [x] Amendment, Total Pages: 21;
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| Total Claims                                   | 43  | - 42                                  | 1                | X \$18.00 | = \$18.00           |
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| Request for Continued Examination (RCE)        |   |                                       |                  |           | = \$770.00          |
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